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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd  
Chief Clerk and Administrator  
Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100  
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

**RE: Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.  
Docket No. 2020-66-G**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

By Order No. 2020-180, issued March 4, 2020 in Docket No. 2020-66-G, the Commission authorized a temporary rate decrement to flow-through excise tax credits associated with the retail sale of compressed natural gas for motor fuel purposes under Piedmont's Rate Schedule 242 and Commission-approved special contract fleet fueling agreements through December 31, 2020. The authority to flow-through such tax credits through a rate decrement expires on December 31, 2020. Attached is a schedule that reflects the removal of the tax credit rate decrement effective January 1, 2020 along with revised rates and charges tariff pages. This filing is informational in nature and no action is requested of the Commission with respect hereto.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at the numbers shown above.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jasmine K. Gardner  
Jasmine K. Gardner

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Enclosures

cc: ORS  
Pia Powers  
Bruce Barkley  
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## **Schedule A**

Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.  
South Carolina  
Docket No. 2020-66-G, CNG Alt Tax Credit Decrement Expiration

	(a)	(b)	(c)
	November 2020	CNG Alt Tax	January 2021
Rate Schedules:	Current	Credit Decrement	
	<u>Billing Rates<sup>1</sup></u>	<u>Expiration</u>	<u>Billing Rates</u>
		<u>Change</u>	
<b>201 Residential Service</b>			
Monthly Charge-winter	10.00	-	10.00
Monthly Charge-summer	8.00	-	8.00
Winter (Nov.-Mar.) per therm	0.84579	-	0.84579
Summer (Apr.-Oct.) per therm	0.78915	-	0.78915
<b>202 Small General Service</b>			
Monthly Charge	22.00	-	22.00
Winter (Nov.-Mar.) per therm	0.71934	-	0.71934
Summer (Apr.-Oct.) per therm	0.70555	-	0.70555
<b>252 Medium General Service</b>			
Monthly Charge	75.00	-	75.00
Winter (Nov.-Mar.) per therm	0.69355	-	0.69355
Summer (Apr.-Oct.) per therm	0.67976	-	0.67976
<b>242 Natural Gas Vehicle Fuel Service</b>			
Winter (Nov.-Mar.) per therm	0.18141	0.39683	0.57824
Summer (Apr.-Oct.) per therm	0.18141	0.39683	0.57824
Winter (Nov.-Mar.) per GGE <sup>2</sup>	0.22858	0.50000	0.72858
Summer (Apr.-Oct.) per GGE <sup>2</sup>	0.22858	0.50000	0.72858
<b>243 Experimental Motor Vehicle Fuel Service</b>			
Monthly Charge			
Winter (Nov.-Mar.)			
Summer (Apr.-Oct.)			
<b>203 Large General Sales Service</b>			
Monthly Charge	250.00	-	250.00
Billing Demand per therm	1.12500	-	1.12500
Winter (Nov.-Mar.) per therm			
First 15,000	0.44923	-	0.44923
Next 15,000	0.37952	-	0.37952
Next 75,000	0.33199	-	0.33199
Next 165,000	0.29325	-	0.29325
Next 330,000	0.23711	-	0.23711
Over 600,000	0.20854	-	0.20854
Summer (Apr.-Oct.) per therm			
First 15,000	0.37495	-	0.37495
Next 15,000	0.32382	-	0.32382
Next 75,000	0.29485	-	0.29485
Next 165,000	0.27468	-	0.27468
Next 330,000	0.23711	-	0.23711
Over 600,000	0.20854	-	0.20854
<b>204 Interruptible Sales Service</b>			
Monthly Charge	250.00	-	250.00
Winter (Nov.-Mar.) per therm			
First 15,000	0.46423	-	0.46423
Next 15,000	0.39952	-	0.39952
Next 75,000	0.35639	-	0.35639
Next 165,000	0.30925	-	0.30925
Next 330,000	0.25711	-	0.25711
Over 600,000	0.22854	-	0.22854
Summer (Apr.-Oct.) per therm			
First 15,000	0.38995	-	0.38995
Next 15,000	0.34382	-	0.34382
Next 75,000	0.31925	-	0.31925
Next 165,000	0.29068	-	0.29068
Next 330,000	0.25711	-	0.25711
Over 600,000	0.22854	-	0.22854
<b>205 Outdoor Gas Light Service</b>			
Per Fixture/Mo.	15.00	-	15.00

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<b>213 Large General Transportation Service</b>			
Monthly Charge	250.00	-	250.00
Standby Demand per therm	0.45000	-	0.45000
Billing Demand per therm	0.82500	-	0.82500
Winter (Nov.-Mar.) per therm			
First 15,000	0.21923	-	0.21923
Next 15,000	0.15352	-	0.15352
Next 75,000	0.10739	-	0.10739
Next 165,000	0.06855	-	0.06855
Next 330,000	0.03011	-	0.03011
Over 600,000	0.00854	-	0.00854
Summer (Apr.-Oct.) per therm			
First 15,000	0.14495	-	0.14495
Next 15,000	0.09782	-	0.09782
Next 75,000	0.07025	-	0.07025
Next 165,000	0.04998	-	0.04998
Next 330,000	0.03011	-	0.03011
Over 600,000	0.00854	-	0.00854
<b>214 Interruptible Transportation Service</b>			
Monthly Charge	250.00	-	250.00
Winter (Nov.-Mar.) per therm			
First 15,000	0.23423	-	0.23423
Next 15,000	0.16352	-	0.16352
Next 75,000	0.12139	-	0.12139
Next 165,000	0.07175	-	0.07175
Next 330,000	0.03411	-	0.03411
Over 600,000	0.00854	-	0.00854
Summer (Apr.-Oct.) per therm			
First 15,000	0.15995	-	0.15995
Next 15,000	0.10782	-	0.10782
Next 75,000	0.08425	-	0.08425
Next 165,000	0.05318	-	0.05318
Next 330,000	0.03411	-	0.03411
Over 600,000	0.00854	-	0.00854

1/ The rates in Column (a) are the same as those shown in the Company's ETariff filing revision #E2020-193.

2/ The rates convert 1.26 therms to 1 GGE.

## **Rates & Charges**

## SOUTH CAROLINA RATES AND CHARGES

## Residential and Commercial

**Residential Service - Rate 201**

Monthly Charge		Rate Per Therm	
November - March	\$ 10.00	November - March	\$ 0.84579
April - October	\$ 8.00	April - October	\$ 0.78915

**Small General Service - Rate 202**

Monthly Charge	\$ 22.00	Rate Per Therm	
		November - March	\$ 0.71934
		April - October	\$ 0.70555

**Medium General Service - Rate 252**

Monthly Charge	\$ 75.00	Rate Per Therm	
		November - March	\$ 0.69355
		April - October	\$ 0.67976

**Natural Gas Vehicle Fuel Service - Rate 242**

Rate Per Therm		Rate Per GGE **
November - March	\$ 0.57824	\$ 0.72858 **
April - October	\$ 0.57824	\$ 0.72858 **

Compression Charge of \$0.50 per therm (maximum)

**Experimental Motor Vehicle Fuel Service - Rate 243**

Monthly Charge depends on the customer-specific corresponding Rate Schedule  
Rate Per Therm depends on the customer-specific corresponding Rate Schedule  
Compression Charge, if applicable, is \$0.50 per therm (maximum)

**Outdoor Gaslight Service - Rate 205**

Monthly Charge	\$ 15.00
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\*\* The Company may bill in units of Gasoline Gallon Equivalent ("GGE") for gas service provided at the Company's Premises under Rate 242. The rates above convert 1.26 Therms to 1 GGE.

## SOUTH CAROLINA RATES AND CHARGES

## Industrial

**Large General Sales Service - Rate 203**

Monthly Charge			\$	250.00		
Demand Charge (monthly per peak day therm usage)			\$	1.12500		
Rate Per Therm						
	<u>November - March</u>				<u>April - October</u>	
	First 15,000	\$	0.44923		First 15,000	\$ 0.37495
	Next 15,000	\$	0.37952		Next 15,000	\$ 0.32382
	Next 75,000	\$	0.33199		Next 75,000	\$ 0.29485
	Next 165,000	\$	0.29325		Next 165,000	\$ 0.27468
	Next 330,000	\$	0.23711		Next 330,000	\$ 0.23711
	Over 600,000	\$	0.20854		Over 600,000	\$ 0.20854

**Interruptible Sales Service - Rate 204**

Monthly Charge			\$	250.00		
Rate Per Therm						
	<u>November - March</u>				<u>April - October</u>	
	First 15,000	\$	0.46423		First 15,000	\$ 0.38995
	Next 15,000	\$	0.39952		Next 15,000	\$ 0.34382
	Next 75,000	\$	0.35639		Next 75,000	\$ 0.31925
	Next 165,000	\$	0.30925		Next 165,000	\$ 0.29068
	Next 330,000	\$	0.25711		Next 330,000	\$ 0.25711
	Over 600,000	\$	0.22854		Over 600,000	\$ 0.22854

**Large General Transportation Service - Rate 213**

Monthly Charge			\$	250.00		
Demand Charge (monthly per peak day therm usage)			\$	0.82500		
Standby Sales Service Charge (monthly per peak day therm usage)			\$	0.45000		
Rate Per Therm						
	<u>November - March</u>				<u>April - October</u>	
	First 15,000	\$	0.21923		First 15,000	\$ 0.14495
	Next 15,000	\$	0.15352		Next 15,000	\$ 0.09782
	Next 75,000	\$	0.10739		Next 75,000	\$ 0.07025
	Next 165,000	\$	0.06855		Next 165,000	\$ 0.04998
	Next 330,000	\$	0.03011		Next 330,000	\$ 0.03011
	Over 600,000	\$	0.00854		Over 600,000	\$ 0.00854

**Interruptible Transportation Service - Rate 214**

Monthly Charge			\$	250.00		
Rate Per Therm						
	<u>November - March</u>				<u>April - October</u>	
	First 15,000	\$	0.23423		First 15,000	\$ 0.15995
	Next 15,000	\$	0.16352		Next 15,000	\$ 0.10782
	Next 75,000	\$	0.12139		Next 75,000	\$ 0.08425
	Next 165,000	\$	0.07175		Next 165,000	\$ 0.05318
	Next 330,000	\$	0.03411		Next 330,000	\$ 0.03411
	Over 600,000	\$	0.00854		Over 600,000	\$ 0.00854

**SOUTH CAROLINA RATES AND CHARGES****Miscellaneous Fees And Charges****Schedule For Limiting And Curtailing Service - Rate 206**

Emergency Service Rate Per Therm	\$ 1.00	In addition to commodity prices as defined in Rate Schedule 206, Rate For Emergency Service.
Unauthorized Over Run Penalty Per Therm	\$ 2.50	In addition to commodity prices as defined in Rate Schedule 206, Rate For Emergency Service.

**Reconnect Fees**

February Through August	\$ 40.00
September Through January	\$ 60.00

**Returned Check Charge**

Returned Check Charge	\$ 25.00
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**Governmental Taxes and Fees**

Customers shall also pay all applicable taxes, fees and assessments levied by governmental authorities having jurisdiction.

Docket No. 2020-66-G  
Order No. 2020-180

Directive Issued: March 4, 2020  
Effective: January 1, 2021